

S. Internal Security Comm.

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Memorandum for:

Attention:

1. Attached herewith is a list of Czechoslovakian diplomats and their families. The Senate Internal Security Subcommittee has designated a special task force, headed by Senator Welker, to look into the problem of Iron Curtain diplomats. They wish to have from us any derogatory information concerning these individuals and their activities prior to coming to the United States. Normal biographic data will be secured by the Subcommittee from the Department of State, and I am informed that an inquiry is also going to the FBI regarding current activities. It is believed that this Czech list will be followed by others on Satellite countries.

2. It is requested that this information be forwarded to me so that I may discuss it with Mr. Kirkpatrick, who will in turn review the material with the DCI.

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Attachment

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